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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby requests an extension of time of one month for responding to the final Office Action issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on December 28, 2005 in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the December 28, 2005 final Office Action was originally due March 28, 2006.

Enclosed is a check covering the \$120.00 statutory extension fee for filing a response within the first month pursuant to §1.136(a) by a small entity. Accordingly, the due date for responding to the December 28, 2005 final Office Action is now April 28, 2006, and the Request for Continued Examination submitted concurrently herewith is being timely filed.

The Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge any other required fees, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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